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South Hardwick, July 29, 1861. Wm. E. B. GUYER, Sec.

## Miscellany.

From the Christian Messenger.

### Army Reform.

We published in our issue of last week, the general order of Gen. McClellan to the soldiers for the better observance of the Sabbath. We are confident that this order has been read with gratitude in all the loyal States. Many praying hearts have been made sad by the desecration of the Sabbath in our army, and especially by the notorious disaster which followed from the Sabbath attack upon the Rebels at Bull Run. Every enlightened conscience takes the side of the Christian Sabbath, and all men know that trifling with sacred time is mean and dangerous. So long as our armies were outraging the moral sentiment of the country and of Christendom, by making the Lord's day the special season for marchings, parades, and battles, the hope of success was dying out of the heart of thoughtful men, and a sense of shame mantled many a loyal face. All this is instantly changed. The heroic young General, toward whom so many millions turn, as, under God, the hope of our country, has spoken the word for which the country waited, and which wipes out our reproach, and reassures our faith.—And it is uttered with a heartiness suited to kindle the enthusiasm of Christian citizens, and to endear the name of McClellan to all ranks of military service.

Under this arrangement for the observance of the Sabbath, Christian men will the more cheerfully enlist in the army. One serious obstacle to enlistments has been the demoralized condition of the troops. Parents and friends have been reluctant to subject young men of good moral character to the ordeal of camp-life, so long as that life was understood to be Sabbathless, and of course immoral. But, with a new and better regime, under such considerate and humane commanders as Gen. McClellan, and with the discipline he has inaugurated, Christian parents will give their sons for the army with some hope that they will not be ruined for time and eternity within their own encampments, whatever may be their peril from hostile bullets.

On every ground, we regard this radical army reform as one of the most important and wide-reaching of the events of the war. It will furnish an element of thanksgiving for the day of national humiliation just at hand. It will give new impulse to the observance of the Lord's day throughout the nation. It will furnish grounds of hope that God will return to us with blessing, as we seek to turn to him in the spirit of penitent obedience.

Chaplain Haney's Remarks to his Conference.

At the recent session of the Illinois Conference the presiding elders reported general prosperity among the districts. Rev. Richard Haney, who had been absent from his post on chaplain duties in the army, addressed the Conference.

When he began says the *North Western Advocate*, to represent his district, all whispering ceased. He said he now stood before them in a different relation from that of the past. He had received twenty-seven appointments from the Church, and had filled them as best he could. Fifteen years, with only a break of two years, he had done district work. He had gone on as usual for three quarters of the year, when he was called into the service of the country as chaplain of the Sixteenth Regiment Illinois Volunteers. Had accepted after the advice of his brethren of the district and the consent of Bishop Baker. He had been in Missouri. Had full faith for the triumph of our cause in that State, though secession villainy had made it the battle-ground of the South-west.

He had also hope for Methodism. For the first time in many years Methodist preachers are in Missouri. The days for men and churches favorable to treason were rapidly passing. Reorganization had begun. There is such a sympathy with us now as never was before. Instead of our men coming from Missouri, we should prepare to send them reinforcements. Not one of our members or preachers has been found among traitors. The people are turning toward us. He would go from his brethren uncertain to see them again. He should share the lot of his fellows in camp; and rebel marksmen have no sympathy for a chaplain, but would as

soon shoot him as any other man, and rather, if they knew him to be a Methodist preacher. He should be in peril—would his old Illinois friends remember him in their prayers and sympathies?

For him he knew no official promotion.—When a man has served twenty-seven years in company with these men as a pastor in our Church, there is no higher position in this world. He said: 'We have been together at our altars, in our sorrows and joys, our conflicts and victories. You will remain here, I will die in the fight; but, brethren, whether my place shall be in the weary march, preaching the Gospel to my fellow-soldiers, caring for the wounded, or burying the dead, who, dying, wish, next to the sight of the Saviour, to see the stars and stripes, I am yet one of you. If I fail, whether by disease or before the death-winged bullet, I want to say to you that your brother will cross at the upper ford! This rebellion is no child's play; to suppress it will demand blood and suffering. We must not flinch, but go straight forward to the end.'

From the Christian Messenger.

**LAY REPRESENTATION**—The *Pittsburgh Advocate* calls attention to the coming vote on Lay Representation. It remarks that—

The vote will inaugurate a new era in Methodism. In no former period has a question of the kind been put to vote throughout our societies. The step is a novel and yet a very commendable one. We lead the other great denominations in the democracy of the movement. None others we believe have ever referred questions of Church polity to the people. Methodism has the honor of initiating the movement.

The question soon to be submitted to the laity will also be brought before the ministry in the Annual Conferences of 1862. Opportunity will thus be given to compare notes, and see whether the ministry or laity is most tainted with the spirit of lay representation. We confess that we shall wait with some impatience the statistics for making the comparison. It will help to settle a matter long differently regarded by different classes. The ministry has brought about all innovations in our Church polity, has been the cry of our conservative party for years. 'The ministry,' responds the class of progressives, 'has retarded all needed improvements in our Church polity.' Both parties cannot be right. It would be amusing to find both wrong. And this will not be far from the fact should the ministry and membership in about equal proportions favor lay representation.

*Zions Herald* says:

The Conferences in New England were the earliest to secure anything like a fair representation of the laity in their bodies, by a system just as liberal as could possibly be grafted on the present Discipline. We hope that the lay members in this part of the country will not be behind their brethren in speaking their mind now upon this subject. Many of the Conferences have specified the day on which the election shall be held, but none of the Conferences in New England have done so, except the Vermont Conference, which has ordered the ministers to present the subject to their congregations some time in the month of September.

**A GOOD APPOINTMENT.**—*Zions Herald* says:

His Excellency, Governor Berry, of New Hampshire, has appointed Hon. E. F. Porter, of Boston, Agent for the sale of Liquors to the Town Agents in New Hampshire. Mr. Porter is the Commissioner for Massachusetts to attend to the same business in this State, and has conducted the business so as to secure the approval of the friends of the Prohibitory Law, and of the agents in the various towns. He takes the utmost care to have only the purest articles, suitable for medical purposes, and sold only according to the strict provision of the law. We see no reason why New Hampshire might not avail itself of his services, and we think the friends of Temperance particularly, in that State, will be grateful to Governor Berry for his judicious appointment.

The public have been greatly defrauded by agents for the sale of liquors which were not reliable. We have before learned from good authority that E. F. Porter, of Boston, is just the man for his business, and worthy of the patronage of the friends of Temperance.

**FAITH AND WORKS.**—Dr. William A. Smith, President of Randolph Macon College, whom we have before mentioned as being a chaplain in the rebel army, was the first Southern writer of note, who endeavored to prove that slavery is a righteous institution, and the normal—hence the most beneficent—condition of the colored race.

## The War and Slavery.

Slavery has much to do with the present war upon our Government, and there is no reason why this fact should be concealed.—Under existing circumstances, the only proper attitude of the Government is that of hostility to Slavery. This is the only consistent course, and one that will meet the respect and support of foreign governments. The *London Watchman* shows how the bearing of our war on Slavery affects the English mind. That, in fact, is the capital point to which the English people look, in order to decide how far they can sympathize with us. The *Watchman*, referring to the 'Confiscation' Act of Congress, says:—

'As yet we have no reliable account of this measure, but it has been described as containing a clause to the effect that: "Whenever, during the present insurrection, any person held to service or labor—that is, any slave—shall be employed in military or naval service, entrenchments, etc., the person to whom such labor or service is due shall forfeit his claim to the same." But, if the master forfeit his claim to the labor of the slave, who else can have any claim; and is not the bondman free? Such a clause must produce intense excitement in those Border States, which are not lost to the Union, and must strike terror into the Planting States. We wait for confirmation of an enactment so full of hope but so little expected. If true, it is the beginning of the end, the dawn of a great troubled day, which at eventide will be light. It is the signal of Emancipation.'

## Sabbath School Festival.

The Sabbath-School festival was held at Topsham, August 28th, agreeable to notice, and was all, if not more, than was anticipated by any of our citizens.

It was ably managed by J. P. Tabor, President, Hon. R. M. Bill, Marshal, R. Forsyth and John Miles, Vice Presidents.—The Schools from abroad were met by the President and Vice Presidents of the day, attended by the Topsham Cornet Band, at the Four Corners, so called, and escorted to the Town House, where a procession was formed, and the company marched to the Grove, a beautiful place about one fourth mile from the village.

The order of exercises were, Singing by the children, (Greeting) conducted by Rev. Caleb Taplin; Prayer by Rev. H. K. Cobb; Table Services, by Rev. R. F. Goodwin; Refreshments; Intermission of twenty minutes; Music by the Band, after which the audience returned to the seats, each School bearing their respective banners. We then were entertained by remarks by Rev. A. Hayward, J. McAnn, and H. K. Cobb, a Sentiment by Rev. W. E. McAllister; The Ladies of Topsham, true in heart, surpassed by none in ability, may their supplies be ever abundant, and their hearts untarnished with the principles of Secession.

Much praise is due to the Rev. I. McAnn, for the able manner in which he addressed the audience, especially the children, diverting them and gaining their attention by the illustration of the Kite flying in the air, informing them the kite must be kept and governed in the air by guiding the string to which it must be attached; when the string is broken or let out too fast, the kite falls and is destroyed. He then informed them they were to be governed and guided by their parents and teachers, who would learn them to become wise, good, and virtuous.

The Band done honor to themselves under the charge of their leader, Mr. E. H. George, who is an excellent and practical musician. The Band were furnished with a beautiful banner, presented and borne by B. F. Aiken, containing the Latin phrase, 'Laus Deo'—praise to God—and was handsomely trimmed with flowers and overgreen. The day was pleasant, and as the procession, composed of two thousand or more people, returned to the village, not one could be found unwilling to respond to the sentiment on the banner which led them, viz.: Praise to God.

JOSIAH PAUL, Sec.

**A NOVEL MODE TO DETERMINE DUTY.**—The *Newport*, (R. I.) *News* tells a story of a young man who had enlisted, and who went to his mother, a widow, with his certificate, for her signature. She, not being willing for him to go, withheld her consent; but finally, after much persuasion, said she would agree upon one condition—that her son should thrust his finger at random through the leaves of the closed Bible, and the language of the text upon which it rested should decide her action in the matter. He did as she requested, and his finger where the Bible was opened, was found resting over the 10th and 17th verses of the 20th chapter of II Chronicles. The tenor of the verses (which the reader will please turn up) was such as to induce the mother to consent to her son's enlistment.